

2016 Domaine Grand Nicolet Côtes du Rhône

About this wine

PRODUCER

Domaine Grand Nicolet

LOCATION

Rhône, Southern Rhône, Rasteau

COLOR



OTHER VINTAGES

2016

PRICE



Tasting Notes

RATING

88-90

TA

10

MATURITY

unavailable

REVIEWED BY

Jeb Dunnuck

REVIEW

A year in, year out no-brainer, the 2016 Côtes du Rhône looks to be another success. Offering lots of incense, white pepper, saddle leather and orange blossom, as well as ample sweet Grenache fruit, it's medium-bodied, fruit forward and undeniably delicious. Drink it over the coming 4-5 years

SOURCE

France, Southern Rhône: The Elegant and Lively 2015s and Heavenly 2016s

2016 Domaine Grand Nicolet Rasteau Vieilles Vignes

About this wine

PRODUCER

Domaine Grand Nicolet

LOCATION

Rhône, Southern Rhône, Rasteau

COLOR



OTHER VINTAGES

2016, 2015, 2010

PRICE

\$16



Tasting Notes

RATING

90-92

TASTING DATE

10/19/2017

MATURITY

unavailable

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REVIEW

Also beautiful, the 2016 Rasteau Vieilles Vignes offers loads of black raspberry, blueberry, graphite and floral notes in a medium to full-bodied, ripe, hedonistic style that's already impossible to resist. 16 bucks? It's a steal. The blend is 65% Grenache, 25% Syrah, and 10% Mourvèdre, and it's going to keep through 2016, but bottles wouldn't last that long at my house.

SOURCE

France, Southern Rhône: The Elegant and Lively 2015s and Heavenly 2016s

2016 Domaine Grand Nicolet Rasteau Les Esqueyrons

About this wine

PRODUCER

Domaine Grand Nicolet

LOCATION

Rhône, Southern Rhône, Rasteau

COLOR



OTHER VINTAGES

2016, 2010

PRICE

\$25



Tasting Notes

RATING

92-94

TASTING DATE

10/19/2017

MATURITY

unavailable

REVIEWED BY

Jeb Dunnuck

REVIEW

The flagship Rasteau is the 2016 Rasteau Les Esqueyrons and it's made from equal parts tank-aged Grenache and barrel aged Syrah. This beauty boasts terrific notes of cassis, toasty oak, licorice and crushed flowers to go with a full-bodied, unctuous, thrillingly concentrated vibe on the palate. There's just a little over 600 cases produced so don't miss it.

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